

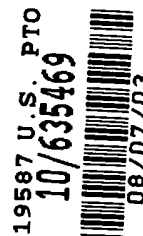


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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

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Re: Application of **Costanzo GADINI, Renato GAI and Moro MARCO**

**ELECTRO-THERMAL ACTUATION DEVICE**

Assignee: **ELTEK S.P.A.**

Our Ref. **Q76841**

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 39 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and 13 sheets of drawings. Also enclosed is a preliminary amendment.

The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment with PTO Form 1595 will be submitted at a later date.

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